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CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

March 12, 2013

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RE: JUNE 20, 2008 AND JULY 7, 2008 PETITIONS FOR CORRECTIVE ACTION COMPLETE WITHOUT CONTROLS FOR EIGHTEEN (18) SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS/AREAS OF CONCERN HOLLOWAN AIR FORCE BASE, EPA ID# NM6572124422 HWB-HAFB-07-006 AND 08-005

Dear Mr. Budak:

On June 20 and July 7, 2008, Holloman Air Force Base (the Permittee) submitted a Class 3 Permit Modification Request (PMR) to modify its Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Permit (the Permit). This PMR petitioned the New Mexico Environment Department (the Department) for Corrective Action Complete Without Controls (CAC) status for eighteen (18) Solid Waste Management Units (SWMUs)/Areas of Concern (AOCs). This PMR would modify Appendix 4-A of Permit Part 4 by moving these SWMUs/AOCs from Table A (*List of SWMUs/AOCs Requiring Corrective Action*) to Table B (*List of SWMUs/AOCs Not Requiring Corrective Action*).

On October 29, 2012, the Department issued a public notice proposing to grant CAC status for the 18 SWMUs/AOCs. Additionally, at the Permittee's request, the public notice also advised that sixteen (16) previously unidentified sites were being added to Table A as AOCs. In addition, the Department changed the title of Table B to a *List of SWMUs/AOCs with Corrective Action Complete Without Controls* and added a new Table C (*SWMUs/AOCs with Corrective Action Complete With Controls*), of which there are currently none. This was done so that the Tables will be consistent with United States Environmental Protection Agency's *Final Guidance*

on Completion of Corrective Action Activities at RCRA Facilities (Federal Register, Volume 68, Number 37) and the definitions found in NMAC 20.4.2.7 (*Hazardous Waste Permit and Corrective Action Fees*).

The public comment period for this action ended December 28, 2012, and the Department received no public comments concerning this petition. Therefore, under the authority of the New Mexico Hazardous Waste Act (Section 74-4-1 et seq., NMSA 1978, as amended) and the New Mexico Hazardous Waste Management Regulations (20.4.1.901 NMAC), the Department hereby grants Corrective Action Complete Without Controls status for the 18 SWMUs/AOCs. These SWMUs/AOCs include: 1) SWMU 39 (FT-31), Building 1092 Oil/Water Separator; 2) SWMU 105 (LF-19), Golf Course Landfill; 3) SWMU 108 (LF-23), MOBSS Landfill Disposal Trench; 4) SWMU 115 (LF-22), West Area Landfill #1, PCB Disposal Area; 5) SWMU 116 (LF-21), West Area Landfill #2; 6) SWMU 127 (FT-31), Building 1092 Waste Oil Tank; 7) SWMU 130 (SS-46), Taxiway 4 Tank 28, JP-4 Underground Waste Tank; 8) SWMU 135 (FT-31), Building 1092 Oil/Water Separator Drainage Tank; 9) SWMU 170 (FT-31), Fire Department Training Area #1; 10) AOC-2, Sewage Drainage Pit NE of Building 864; 11) AOC-F (SS-68), Asphalt Tank Spill Area; 12) AOC-N (SS-48), Building 137 Military Gas Tank Leak; 13) AOC-P (OT-44), Building 301 Fuel Tank Leak; 14) AOC-R (SS-06), JP-4 Fuel Line Spill Site; 15) AOC-S (BHUST), Leaking Underground Storage Tank; 16) AOC-V (SS-57), Officer's Club; 17) AOC-PRI-2 (OT-35), PRI Building 1264 Solvent Burn Area; and 18) AOC-PRI-5 (OT-35), PRI Building 1264 Solvent Burn Area.

The 16 AOCs that have been added to Table A include: 1) AOC-UST-221 (TU/US-C503), Building 221 UST; 2) AOC-UST-298 (TU/US-C508), Building 298 UST; 3) AOC-UST-300 (TU/US-C500), Building 300 UST; 4) AOC-UST-301 (TU/US-C504), Building 301 UST; 5) AOC-UST-684 (TU/US-C516), Building 684 UST; 6) AOC-UST-882 (TU/US-C514), Building 882 UST; 7) AOC-UST-889 (TU/US-C515), Building 889 UST; 8) AOC-UST-898 (TU/US-C513), Building 898 UST; 9) AOC-UST-901 (TU/US-C506), Building 901 UST; 10) AOC-UST-1097 (TU/US-C505), Building 1097 UST; 11) AOC-UST-1113 (TU/US-C501), Building 1113 UST; 12) AOC-UST-1272 (TU/US-C507), Building 1272 UST; 13) AOC-UST-2395 (TU/US-C502), Building 2395 UST; 14) AOC-UST-7003 (TU/US-C518), National Radar Test Facility UST; 15) AOC-838 (SS-72), TCE Groundwater Contamination Upgradient of LF-20; and 16) AOC-1088 (SS-73), TCE in Groundwater Upgradient of SS-61.

Attached are final copies of the revised Tables A and B and the new Table C of the Permit's Part 4, Appendix 4-A indicating that CAC status has been granted for the 18 SWMUs/AOCs mentioned above.

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This decision to grant CAC status to these SWMUs/AOCs shall become effective thirty (30) days after the date of this letter. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Mr. John Kieling of my staff at (505) 476-6035.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dave Martin".

Dave Martin
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Enclosures: Tables A, B and C

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